



QUELLING A COOLIE RIOT IN A SOUTH AFRICAN MINING COMPOUND.

The persuasive virtues of the hose have sometimes been proved by the police in dealing with Western crowds, but the method has been brought to perfection in the South African mines. The water-gun, a gigantic fire-nozzle traveling on a high platform, commands the whole compound; and when a row begins among the coolies, this harmless but effective artillery is brought into play, always with excellent effect. General Botha has just decided that Chinese labor must go. —Illustrated London News.

RANGING OVER HALEAKALA

Jack London Sees the Big
Mountain Country
of Maui.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack London, in company with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Thurston, returned on Thursday from a trip around Maui. The party took the Claudine from Honolulu to Lahaina on Friday the 19th instant, taking a hack to Wailluku the next morning. The afternoon was spent in the Iao Valley. On the next day they were the guests of Mr. J. N. S. Williams, superintendent of the Kahului railroad, he personally escorting them in a special car over the railroad system of the Kahului Railroad Company and the Hawaiian Commercial and Kihel Su-

gar Companies. The Hawaiian Commercial mill and largest pumping station were visited, also the Kihel underground pumping station.

In the afternoon carriages were taken to the Haleakala ranch, where the party were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. L. von Tempsky.

The following day was spent in witnessing the annual drive of the ranch company and the breaking in of a number of bucking broncos.

On the following day the ascent of Haleakala was begun. L. von Tempsky, manager of the Haleakala ranch and his two daughters, accompanying the party. The night was spent at Ukulele, the upper station of the ranch, at an elevation of 5400 feet.

On Wednesday the ascent to the top of the mountain was made and the crest of the crater was followed along to its western limit, where the mountain is over 10,000 feet high. The descent of 2500 feet into the crater was then made, and a tent pitched at Paliku, in the eastern and opposite end of the crater, at a distance of seven miles from the point of entrance. This is delightful camping ground, there being a grassy flat with a large grove of trees and plenty of water.

The following day was spent in exploring the crater and shooting goats, of which there are many in the sur-

rounding cliffs. That night it rained about two inches, but the tent proved rainproof.

On Friday, the descent was made through the Kaupo Gap to the sea, and thence, a distance of about thirty-five miles through the Kipahulu district to Hana. This road is mostly a narrow horse trail crossing many deep canyons on almost impossible grades. Waterfalls were numerous and tropical vegetation in profusion.

The night was comfortably spent at Alona's hotel, the party also being entertained by Mr. George Cooper, of the Hana plantation.

On the following day the Nahiku rubber plantations were inspected, the party being the guests at lunch of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson. Mr. Anderson is the manager of the Nahiku Rubber Company, which now has many hundred acres planted with rubber which they will begin to tap next year.

The night was spent with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tripp, in the Keanae valley. The day was quite rainy, with the result that all the ditches were full and scores of waterfalls were also running millions of gallons of water to the sea.

The ditches wind along the faces of perpendicular cliffs, up to a thousand feet high, and are bordered by a six foot horse-trail, the cliffs extending perpendicularly for hundreds of feet

above and below. Every few hundred feet a torrent of water was crossed on a narrow little bridge. The bridges are frequently on the very crest of a waterfall, hundreds of feet high, the spray being blown back over the bridge and trail.

The scenery along the ditches in this section is awe-inspiring and wonderfully beautiful. It is one of the great sights of the Islands.

On the following day the party returned to the Haleakala Ranch and were later entertained by Mr. and Mrs. von Tempsky for a day and night at their seaside bungalow "Kaleinalu," near Paia, the return being made to Honolulu by the Claudine on Wednesday.

Mr. London has traveled pretty much all over the United States and Alaska and states that for grandeur and beauty of scenery, this trip surpasses everything else he has ever seen.

Church—I like to see a man who can forget an injury. Gotham—Well, there's that neighbor of mine; he's suing the railroad company for an injured leg, and every once in a while he forgets to limp.—Yonkers Statesman.

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